

REMARKS

The above Amendments and these Remarks are in reply to the Office Action mailed December 20, 2004.

Currently, claims 13, 15, 16, 18, 19, 27, 28, 32, 33 and 35-37 are pending.

On June 3, 2005, Applicant's Attorney participated in a telephone interview with Examiner Brian Pendleton. Applicant thanks Examiner Pendleton for taking the time to meet with Applicant's Attorney.

During the telephone interview, Applicant's Attorney and the Examiner discussed independent claims 13, 27, 35 and 37, as well as the prior art cited in the current Office Action. Applicant's Attorney and the Examiner agreed that independent claims 13 and 27 are allowable in their current form. In regard to claims 35 and 37, the Examiner indicated that those claims would be allowable if they were amended to further specify that the user replaceable interface code was used to operate the device that communicated with the disc changer rather than operating the disc changer.

Applicant has amended claims 35 and 37 accordingly. Therefore, Applicant asserts that all pending claims are in condition for allowance.

In view of the above Amendments and Remarks, reconsideration of the pending claims is requested.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 501826 for any matter in connection with this document, including any fee for extension of time, which may be requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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